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Information for SY 2020-21

Hello Wisconsin Private Schools and Interested Parties.

As you are making your decisions regarding which U.S. Department of Agriculture meal programs to utilize this school year, no matter what program you decide on, your school needs to continue to collect <a href="Free and Reduced Price Household Meal Applications">Free and Reduced Price Household Meal Applications</a> OR <a href="Alternate Household Income Forms">Alternate Household Income Forms</a> (for Community Eligibility Provision schools), determine eligibility, extend benefits, run <a href="Direct Certification">Direct Certification</a>, and complete <a href="Verification">Verification</a>. The purpose behind this is to ensure you have the information needed for the change over to the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs (when USDA funding runs out) and for individual student data reporting purposes (if your school is required to do state reporting through WISE).

Questions regarding this can be directed to the School Nutrition Team at <a href="mailto:dpifns@dpi.wi.gov">dpifns@dpi.wi.gov</a>.

Thanks,

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